

**HOUSEHOLD DATA  
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

**43. Median weekly earnings of full-time wage and salary workers by union affiliation, occupation, and industry**

Occupation and industry	1999				2000			
	Total	Members of unions <sup>1</sup>	Represented by unions <sup>2</sup>	Non-union	Total	Members of unions <sup>1</sup>	Represented by unions <sup>2</sup>	Non-union
<b>OCCUPATION</b>								
Managerial and professional specialty .....	\$797	\$826	\$819	\$792	\$836	\$840	\$834	\$836
Executive, administrative, and managerial .....	792	823	829	789	840	834	854	839
Professional specialty .....	800	826	817	794	832	841	829	832
Technical, sales, and administrative support .....	488	583	580	477	506	598	590	497
Technicians and related support .....	618	714	711	608	648	748	741	635
Sales occupations .....	523	513	519	523	550	526	522	552
Administrative support, including clerical .....	447	574	564	429	469	588	579	453
Service occupations .....	336	536	529	314	355	554	542	327
Protective service .....	592	737	728	477	623	786	771	502
Service, except protective service .....	311	412	409	303	324	423	419	316
Precision production, craft, and repair .....	594	755	747	546	613	784	778	570
Operators, fabricators, and laborers .....	429	591	584	398	446	605	602	411
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors ....	423	572	566	394	436	575	572	408
Transportation and material moving occupations ...	513	668	657	478	540	694	690	502
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers .....	363	507	499	340	378	555	551	355
Farming, forestry, and fishing .....	331	512	514	322	334	516	506	325
<b>INDUSTRY</b>								
Private wage and salary workers .....	521	633	627	510	549	663	656	530
Agriculture .....	340	( <sup>3</sup> )	( <sup>3</sup> )	337	347	( <sup>3</sup> )	( <sup>3</sup> )	344
Nonagricultural industries .....	525	\$634	\$628	513	555	\$664	\$657	537
Mining .....	734	710	731	735	768	746	748	774
Construction .....	552	778	772	509	584	814	810	529
Manufacturing .....	576	614	611	561	595	630	628	587
Durable goods .....	594	628	625	584	618	662	659	610
Nondurable goods .....	529	584	579	518	553	594	594	537
Transportation and public utilities .....	651	748	742	613	679	768	762	639
Transportation .....	596	727	718	551	615	744	741	582
Communications and public utilities .....	751	773	770	738	776	808	798	766
Wholesale and retail trade .....	421	499	492	418	444	518	514	439
Wholesale trade .....	573	584	570	573	595	607	608	593
Retail trade .....	391	472	463	387	403	495	490	399
Finance, insurance, and real estate .....	598	582	587	599	620	596	593	621
Services .....	517	554	563	515	543	567	574	540
Government workers .....	641	714	709	585	665	730	726	609
Federal .....	729	721	723	737	745	736	738	755
State .....	615	683	677	578	633	685	681	606
Local .....	623	726	720	525	650	746	738	562

<sup>1</sup> Data refer to members of a labor union or an employee association similar to a union.

<sup>2</sup> Data refer to members of a labor union or an employee association similar to a union as well as workers who report no union affiliation but whose jobs are covered by a union or an employee association contract.

<sup>3</sup> Data not shown where base is less than 50,000.

NOTE: Data refer to the sole or principal job of full-time workers. Excluded are all self-employed workers regardless of whether or not their businesses are incorporated. Beginning in January 2000, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey.